

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,)
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Plaintiff,)
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v.) **ORDER**
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KATHY CHO,)
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Defendant.)
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Here, the Court has considered the Motion to Seal, the public's interest in access to the subject filing, and alternatives to sealing. The Court determines that sealing is necessary, as less restrictive means of handling the

information are not sufficient. The Motion to Seal has appeared on the docket since December 7, and the subject letter includes Defendant's medical and mental health information as well as details about the personal living arrangements of Defendant who is 79 years old.

Accordingly, Defendant's Motion to Seal Letter from Probation (Doc. 26) ("Motion to Seal") is **GRANTED**, and the letter from Defendant's probation officer (Doc. 26-1) is **SEALED** and shall remain sealed until further Order of the Court.

Signed: December 16, 2019

A handwritten signature in black ink, reading "W. Carleton Metcalf", written over a horizontal line.

W. Carleton Metcalf
United States Magistrate Judge

